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SIXTEEN years have now elapsed since the managers of the Bellevue Training-School for Nurses organized, with the express intention of creating a new profession for educated women. They established rules making it a severe discipline for the term of two years, and undertook to have a well-ordered home for the comfort of the nurses when they should be off duty.

They desired that the School might be attached to Bellevue Hospital, then the worst institution of its kind in the city—a portal of death to the extreme poor, whose death was hastened by wretched attention ; supplemented by the ten-day convicts, sent to Bellevue to do the work of the Hospital.

A Surgical Ward was soon built by a private individual, upon the best principles of ventilation. Subsequently, a second ward was built in the same way. Another, the Emergency Ward, was renovated and enlarged. A commodious building has been erected for the accommodation of male nurses, who are to be trained for skilled service in the Hospital ; and a very comfortable small Ward for operation cases has been given by a lady, with a Chapel and Library, thus showing that the city is in possession of buildings which have cost upwards of two hundred thousand dollars, and which are a testimony of the appreciation of the work done by our nurses in Bellevue Hospital.

The comfort and efficiency of the Home have been greatly increased during the past year by the gift of a large steam-laundry by Mr. Osborn. Until now the larger part of the washing for the nurses and the Home was done at Bellevue

Hospital, where the arrangements were very incomplete, and the workers most incompetent.

The Managers often wish that the public could realize the constant stream of sympathy and comfort which is bestowed upon the patients in the Bellevue Hospital by private individuals, through the agency of the Training-School. The fact that the nurses in the wards are responsible trained women, who will wisely distribute and carefully use that which is committed to their care, has enabled many persons to bestow substantial benefits upon the Hospital, which is the home of reception for the sick and suffering poor of this great city.

During the past year, seventeen (17) wards have been furnished with wire-woven mattresses to replace the uncomfortable straw beds ; and a young lady of this city has had two of the children's wards put in beautiful order, and furnished with pretty cribs and cots. Money is frequently sent to the Superintendent to defray the travelling expenses of patients who have come from a distance for treatment, and warm garments for winter journeys have made many most comfortable. The little ones who are born in the Emergency, and whese parents are too wretchedly poor to provide for them, are not forgotten, and one Church Society keeps the closet filled with dainty garments for their use.

In thus reviewing the work of the last sixteen years, the Managers with a deep sense of gratitude feel that no mean work has been accomplished. The new profession of trained nurses is not only fully established, but has become a necessity.

Dr. Polk, the President of the Bellevue Board, has expressed the opinion "that the Training-School as a part of Bellevue Hospital is indispensable. Without its nurses we could not conduct the Hospital, for the single reason that we could not compete with institutions that have them. In the department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, with which I am connected, the presence of trained nurses is a necessity."

Dr. A. A. Smith writes : "I have been much interested, from its very beginning, in the establishment of the Training-School for Nurses. I do not hesitate to say that since the establishment of the School in the Hospital, the improvement in the care of the patients has in every particular been most marked. Under the former system patients were poorly attended, physicians' directions were not carried out, even dying patients were neglected.

Under the system adopted by the Training-School, patients as a rule are faithfully and tenderly cared for. I am surprised that even a question should be raised as to the pay of these nurses, most of them of excellent qualifications, and many of them self-supporting before they came to the School. So far superior is the care of the patients by the Training-School nurses, that I feel it would be a great public calamity if any thing should be allowed to interfere with the good work done by them in the Hospital. I am sure any effort on the part of those who have the power to take away the support hitherto extended to the Training-School must arise from ignorance of the former system of nursing, and equal ignorance of the vast improvement under the present system."

The Hospital is now a credit to the city ; the Medical Staff, the Commissioners, and the School are in perfect harmony, and thirty other training-schools are established throughout the country. Among these we may mention the Chicago, Cook County, Training-School, which was organized in 1881, and whose superintendents and head nurses have always been graduates of our School.

A noble testimony to the great appreciation of their work has just been given by a legacy of fifty thousand dollars to the Chicago School by Mr. John Crerar.

Of the nearly four hundred nurses who have graduated from our School, forty-five (45) are now holding positions in hospitals, nineteen (19) are superintendents of training-schools, ten (10) are matrons, and sixteen (16) head nurses in hospitals. Seven of our graduates are in charge of the wards where the pupils of the Mills School are in training.

The question is sometimes asked : " Why are the nurses in the School paid when they are receiving the advantages of hospital training?" To this we would answer that the city pays our nurses for very arduous services rendered to its patients. No one who has not spent hours in Bellevue Hospital can realize how every faculty of mind and body is taxed in a hospital ward during eight to ten hours a day. The Training-School supplements this work and makes it of practical value to the nurses by imparting careful theoretical instruction, given by the Superintendent and Assistant-Superintendent, and by lectures from our leading physicians and surgeons. Many of our best nurses were

self-supporting before they entered the School, being teachers or employed in kindred occupations.

In 1873, when the School was started, we had a Superintendent and five nurses. In 1889, the School has charge of all the female wards, the Sturges, Marquand, Insane, and Erysipelas Pavilions, and the Emergency Hospital, with a staff of Superintendent, Assistant-Superintendent, Night-Superintendent, Matron of the Emergency Hospital, and sixty-four (64) nurses.

It has always been a perplexing problem how the expenses of the School, which amount yearly to nearly $22,000, shall be met, and it is greatly aggravated since we have relinquished the entire receipts from private nursing, which yielded an income to the School of from $6,000 to $8,000 annually. This resource is entirely cut off; not a dollar has been received for the services of our nurses in private families, as they are all employed in the wards of the Hospital

The city has paid only two thirds of the cost of their maintenance, while it pays twenty-five per cent. more to ordinary nurses in its other hospitals.

The Managers feel that they should be relieved of all anxiety in reference to the expenses of the School. The public know that the Hospital receives the benefit of the services of our trained nurses, and that the city is paying less to these superior educated women than is paid for ordinary unskilled labor in other hospitals. Is this just?

The course of lectures delivered to the nurses was by Dr. Biggs, on Hygiene and Physiology; Dr. Robert Carlisle, Diseases; Dr. Jasper Garmony, Anatomy and Emergencies; and Dr. Alexander Lambert, on Obstetrics.

The Superintendent and Assistant-Superintendent hold classes every week in Anatomy and Physiology, Materia Medica, Symptoms of Disease, and Nursing, from text-books, and practical instruction in the same in the wards. Dr. Sarah Post lectures on Massage and Electricity.

The number of applicants for admission to the School during this year is 1,306. Of this number, 355 had a personal interview with the Superintendent, 40 were received into the School, but only 31 were accepted after the month of probation. During the past year, four of the senior nurses were dismissed for cause. The calls for nurses for private cases during the year were 1,273,

264 more than last year; four graduates have married, and one has died.

In 1882, the Registry of Nurses was started, and by an annual payment of ten dollars, which is cheerfully given by the nurses to show their appreciation of the benefits derived from the School, a correct list of all the graduates living in the city is kept. This is a great convenience both to the physicians and to the public, as the standing of any nurse is determined by the Registry.

The Managers desire to offer their sincere thanks to the Board of Bellevue Hospital, to the Medical Staff, and to the Warden of the Hospital, for continuous courtesy and kindness shown to the nurses and to the officers of the School during the past year.

The Managers desire to acknowledge the most generous gift of Mr. H. O. Northcote, conveying to the Bellevue Training-School a property on Belle Island, near Norwalk, Connecticut. This property, with a good nurse on it, is to be set apart as a summer home for sick and weary patients in Bellevue Hospital.

The house is to be called the "Edith Summer Home," in loving memory of Mrs. Northcote, who was a Manager of the Home, and who ever felt a deep interest in the sufferers at the Hospital, and who had proposed to build such a home. The house is to be a home in every respect, where any convalescent patient may remain as long as she is benefited by the change of air, unless a more urgent case demands admission. While intended for the use of women, Mr. Northcote requests "that mothers may not be parted from their children, and that special sympathy be shown to those whose life is unceasing toil, and who die because they cannot spare time to rest." Respectfully submitted,

MARY DE WITT CUYLER,

Secretary.

ADDRESS TO THE GRADUATING CLASS

OF

THE BELLEVUE TRAINING-SCHOOL

BY

J. WEST ROOSEVELT, M.D.

ONE of the penalties inflicted upon those who are graduated by this School is an address. It is, I presume, part of the training. When the Board of Managers did me the honor to select me to make this address, I hesitated at first, doubting my ability to interest you. As I have something to say about nurses and nursing however, I finally concluded to say it where my listeners could not escape. So you must suffer for a while.

You, who are about to enter upon the active work of your profession, have probably but little idea of what that work really is. Private nursing is very different from hospital work. It has to do with individuals, not wards. The private nurse, moreover, comes in contact, not only with the patient, but with the patient's family, and, I may add, with all sorts and conditions of doctors. Much has been said of the weariness of watching the sick, much of the patience under long physical and mental strain in the grim fight with disease. It is a weary fight, no doubt, but it is one in which every nerve is strained with a great end in view. It is an heroic struggle, yet it is not the really trying part of the nurse's work. The petty annoyances, the unreasonable exacting selfishness of some patients, the ill-temper of others, the interference of well-meaning but ignorant relatives, the gross injustice so often done to the nurse by both relatives and patients, and sometimes I fear by doctors ; the arrogant idea of certain people that they buy a nurse, body and soul, as they might a horse, and that they can work her and treat her in much the same way—such things as these are harder to bear than any physical strain. They call for that

heroism which is more common among women than men—the heroism so little appreciated—passive endurance! Your profession is perhaps the noblest a woman can follow, since it calls for every womanly quality. An ideal nurse is an ideal woman.

I have said "an ideal woman," and I want you to understand just what I mean. I hold that "woman" is a word which means every thing that is pure, every thing that is tender, unselfish, gentle and loving, yet strong. I am careful to say this, since there is another word often misused, as though it meant something higher than woman. This word is lady. At first lady meant a woman whose parents had never done any thing particularly useful. It was a title. Then it began to be applied to any woman of good manners and high womanly qualities. No better way of illustrating the meaning of "woman" and the dignity of the word, can be found than in the following quotations taken from a humorous paper:

"Frailty, thy name is lady."

"Man that is born of lady." etc.

"O lady, in our hours of ease
Uncertain, coy, and hard to please.

The true meaning of the word lady should be, just a *gentle* woman, as the true meaning of the word gentleman is a *gentle* man. Both the true lady and gentleman are what they are, in virtue of their honesty, earnestness, kindness and consideration for others, and because of these qualities they possess a certain dignity, which all who approach them feel and respect, but of which they themselves are scarcely conscious. If men or women be not so much gentlemen or ladies that they are not conscious of it; if they have a kind of dignity which is so easily injured that they must always watch it; if they fear the contact of others whom they deem beneath them; if they are not courteous to every subordinate, then the word applicable to them is *snob.*

I am sorry to say that there has been of late a certain tendency upon the part of nurses toward this kind of snobbishness. We come across some trained nurses who do not wear their cap and dress and seem to think them rather disgraceful. For a nurse to wear any thing but a wash dress is of course always inexcusable,

in some cases wicked. Disregarding this, there is something painfully small about the nurse who will not wear the dress prescribed by her school. Is she ashamed of her school? It would be exactly the same for a soldier on duty to object to his uniform. She should be proud of it and worthy of it.

We also meet the trained nurse who is unwilling to do certain things, since they are "beneath her," or "not her work." Nothing is "beneath" a nurse or a doctor, unless in itself it be wrong to do. Certain things are not usually part of a nurse's duty, but may become so in particular cases. The first and all embracing duty of the nurse is to care for her patient. Whatever may be needful for this end she should consider part of her work. She should try to diminish the cares of the household in which she is by helping in all the ways a woman can to lessen anxiety and work. She should be above all jealousy, gossip, and pettiness—but not above cleaning the sick-room.

Do not misunderstand me. I would not for a moment imply that a nurse is called upon to do any thing but attend the patient in cases where there is help enough already in the house. I do not mean that she should be deprived of sufficient time for rest, save in desperate cases. I do not mean that she ought for a moment to submit to the indignities of a certain class of arrogant people who would treat her like a machine. I mean only that she should not feel "above" any kind of work in cases of necessity. I mean that her sense of right should far exceed her sense of "her rights," and that her dignity should be such that it takes care of itself and does not need watching.

I do not think there is a single thing connected with a sick-room, or indeed the house in which it was, which I, personally, have not done. I have made beds, swept rooms, scrubbed floors and walls, moved furniture, cleaned plumbing and every conceivable utensil, cooked food, changed patient's clothing and bedding, given baths, carried up fuel and made fires,—in fact done every thing that could be done. It never hurt me. I only mention it to show that I speak from experience. I think also that I still possess some dignity and still remain a gentleman.

No one can respect your profession or mine more highly than I do. No one can appreciate more the self-sacrifice a nurse must make. No one can more truly honor the woman who follows faithfully such a high calling. For these reasons I have

spoken strongly. I only hope that I am understood. I do not want to see any falling off from the high ideal of those who founded the training-school system, and still more I do not want the professional standard lowered by the introduction into it of a false idea of its dignity and of that of its members.

To aid and comfort the suffering and dying, to help those whose fate it is to live after loved ones have passed away, to relieve much of the trouble in the world,—this is your duty and your privilege. Yours is—

> " The mission of genius on earth : to uplift,
> Purify, and confirm by its own gracious gift
> The world, in despite of the world's dull endeavor
> To degrade and drag down and oppose it forever.
> The mission of genius : to watch and to wait,
> To renew, to redeem, and to regenerate.
> The mission of woman on earth : to give birth
> To the mercy of heaven descending on earth.
> The mission of woman : permitted to bruise
> The head of the serpent and sweetly infuse,
> Through the sorrow and sin of earth's registered curse,
> The blessing which mitigates all : born to nurse,
> And to soothe and to solace, to help and to heal
> The sick world which leans on her ! "

GRADUATES OF 1889.

Lucy A. Bannister	New York.
Cornelia B. Bristol	Connecticut.
Clara B. Cahoon	New York.
Sarah F. Curran	New York.
Augusta H. Davidson	Maryland.
Frances A. Dennis	New Jersey.
Mary A. Duxfield	England.
Mary E. Evans	Pennslyvania.
Alice Holloway	Canada.
Martha Howard	Pennsylvania.
Martha L. Janes	Vermont.
Hannah G. Yoseph	Persia.
Mary Littlefield	New York.
Emily Loveridge	New York.
Agnes A. Lukes	Canada.
Mary E. Matthews	New York.
Hattie F. Montrose	New York.
Gertrude W. Moore	Canada.
E. Alice McNaul	Pennsylvania.
Lucy R. Quimby	Massachusetts.
Christine Rasmussen	New York.
Florence Remington	Ohio.
Caroline H. Repplier	New Jersey.
Catharine Lee Tirbutt	Ireland.
Kate Treacy	Ireland.
Margaret Woolhopter	Georgia.
Jennie M. Wright	New York.

LIST OF GRADUATES FROM 1875 TO 1889.

1875.

Buck, Miss Lucretia, Private nurse, New York City.
Carpenter, Miss Cora, Private nurse, New York City.
Fonerden, Miss Mary, Deceased.
Lewis, Miss Eliza, At home, Knowlesville, N. Y.
Von Fredenburg, Mrs., Deceased.
Williams, Miss Mary, Private nurse, New York City.

1876.

Bestow, Miss M. Augusta, At home, Coolville, Ohio.
Brady, Miss M., now Mrs. Cummings, Private nurse, Seattle, W.
Brennan, Miss Annie, Private nurse, New York City.
Davis, Miss A. C., Directress of Training-School, P. E. Church, Philadelphia
Deming, Miss Jennie, Private nurse, New York City.
Gray, Miss Sarah.
Jordan, Miss Maria, Private nurse, New York City.
Luce, Miss Lizzie, At home, Eureka Springs, Ark.
Miller, Miss Katie, now Mrs. Preuss, Private nurse, New York City.
Reid, Mrs. E. R.
Root, Miss Frances F., now Mrs. Ch. Duffy, New York City.
Trott, Miss Verna, now Mrs. Quante, Private nurse, Baltimore, Md.

1877.

Crandall, Miss C. C., now Mrs. Courd, Streaton, Ill.
Fowler, Miss Fannie, now Mrs. Arnold, St. Luis Obispo, Cal.
Gosling, C. M., Private nurse, New York City.
Hibbard, Violetta, Deceased.
Kerr, Mary, Deceased.
Mackey, Marie, Private nurse, New York City.
Morse, Mrs. Hester, Private nurse, New York City.
Rich, Katie, Private nurse, New York City.
Sangster, Jane E., Nurse, Infirmary St. Paul's School, Concord.
Schultz, Elvira, Private nurse, New York City.
West, Sarah M., At home, Peterville, Md.
West, Susan, Private nurse, New York City.

1878.

Andrews, A. E., Superintendent, Hospital, Fall River, Mass.
Belt, R. G., Private nurse, New York City.

Brown, M. E. (M.D.), married Dr. Dewey, Kankakee, Ill.
Brown, Eliza Watson, Private nurse, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Burgess, Lillie, now Mrs. Decker, New York City.
Callan, Gaudeloupe, In Convent, Newark, N. J.
Clark, Mary S., Private nurse, New York City.
Clay, Emma, At home, Middlebury, Vt.
Croxall, Catharine, Private nurse, New York City.
Dunn, Emily, Private nurse, Tarrytown, N. Y.
Foster, E. A., now Mrs. Simmons, Cal.
Guillam, Mary R., Deceased.
Hagar, Emma J., At home, Cleveland, Ohio.
Jagger, Mary S., Private nurse, New York City.
Mawson, Mrs., Private nurse, New York City.
Miner, Mary, Private nurse, New York City.
Morton, Jean, Private nurse, New York City.
McNutt, Julia (M.D.), Practising, New York City.
Odell, Annie S., At home, Needham, Mass.
Perry, Maria.
Porter, Eliza A. C., District nurse, New York City.
Post, Sara E. (M.D.), Practising, New York City.
Reilly, Mrs., now Mrs. Wales, Lyme, Conn.
Shaw, Marion, Private nurse, New York City.
Van Deusen, Mandana, Nurse, Infirmary, Racine College.
Wilbur, Caroline A., Private nurse, New York City.

1879.

Angell, J. J., Private nurse, New York City.
Benedict, Effie R., Private nurse, New York City.
Boggs, Mary R., Private nurse, New York City.
Bradley, Ellen H., Private nurse, New York City.
Burnop, Elizabeth, Private nurse, New York City.
Bowe, Mrs. R. A., Private nurse, New York City.
Church, E. L., Private nurse, New York City.
Coard, Mrs. J. A.
Harman, J. N., At home, Baltimore, Md.
Hinchliffe, Mary E., Private nurse, New York City.
Johnson, K. J., Private nurse, Albany, N. Y.
Knight, M. E., now Mrs. Bartlet, New York City.
Langevin, Leah, now Mrs. Brown, Private nurse, New York City.
Lee, Mrs. C. W., Assistant Superintendent, Post-Graduate Training-School New York City.
Liller, Mrs. R. S., At home, Hungerford, Berks, Eng.
Meddaugh, Mrs., At home, Morristown, N. J.
Meikle, Mary, At home, New York City.
Merchant, Sophie, Private nurse, New York City.
Pine, Alice E., Ward Trustee of Education, New York City.
Price, R. M., Private nurse, New York City.

Root, Sarah, E., Deceased.
Saddington, Eleanor, Private nurse, New York City.
Shewalter, Ella, now Mrs. Cleaver, Kansas City.
Smith, Mrs. S. E., Private nurse, New York City.
Turner, Mrs. Mary, Private nurse, New York City.
Vernois, T. M., District nurse, Holland.
White, Amelia, District nurse, New YorkCity.
Wickham, Adelaide, now Mrs. Burt, Head nurse, Sanitarium, Battle Creek Mich.
Yancey, Jennie, Private nurse, New York City.

1880.

Aldrich, E. A., District nurse, New York City.
Bishop, Mrs.. now Mrs. Baker, Worcester, Mass.
Clarkson, S. F., Married.
Coxhead, Anna R., Married Dr. Graham, Private nurse, New York City.
Diefendorf, Mary, Private nurse, New York City.
Etter, Mary F., Deceased.
Fullam, Mrs., Private nurse, Chicago, Ill.
Hanchett, J. S. (M.D.), Practising, Syracuse, N. Y.
Hart, R. S., Private nurse, Washington, D. C.
Hemple, Mary E., Private nurse, Chicago, Ill.
Hoppe, Therese, Deceased.
Hulett, A. C., Private nurse, New York City.
Hull, C. T., Private nurse, New York City.
Laird, U. W., Private nurse, New York City.
Langwar, Anna D., Private nurse, Newport, R. I.
Markham, M. A., District nurse, New York City.
Mostow, E. E., Private nurse, New York City.
Pangborn, L. E., Deceased.
Redmond, Mrs. E. E., Private nurse, New York City.
Reid, M. E., Private nurse, New York City.
Robertson, Esther.
Shaw, Sarah, Private nurse, New York City.
Simonson, S. L., Private nurse, New York City.
Somerset, Lizzie, Private nurse, New York City.
Snyder, M. E., now Mrs. Dubois, Whiteport, N. Y.
Stone, A. M., now Mrs. Cammer, Cleveland, Ohio.
Warren, Alice M., Private nurse, New York City.
White, Julia, Private nurse, New York City.
Wright, H. E., Private nurse, New York City.

1881.

Allen, S. E., Matron, Lying-in Hospital, London, Eng.
Berry, Mrs. Inez, Private nurse, New York City.
Benedict, Augusta, Head nurse, Bellevue Hospital, New York City.
Bullock, Mary, Private nurse, New York City.

Brookes, E. N., Private nurse, New York City.
Coffin, Magdelena, Private nurse, New York City.
Cilley, A. L., At home, Exeter, Mass.
Clark, S. M., At home, Milton, N. Y.
Emmons, Alice, Private nurse, New York City.
Ellis, Anna, Private nurse, New York City.
Hall, Carrie, Private nurse, New York City.
Hubbard, Emily L., now Mrs. Hawley, San Bernardino, Cal.
Hunt, A. R., now Mrs. Brice, Indianapolis, Ind.
Kerr, Emily, Private nurse, New York City.
Leighton, T. G., Private nurse, New York City.
Lowe, A. H., Private nurse, New York City.
Macy, Mary, Private nurse, New York City.
Mills, E. B., Private nurse, New York City.
Pierce, E. E., At home, Dorchester, Mass.
Richards, E. M., married Dr. Morrow, Indianapolis, Ind.
Randall, Mrs. Mary, Private nurse, New York City.
Scarlett, Amelia, At home, Newark, N. J.
Shallcross, Catharine, Private nurse, New York City.
Van Deurs, Martha, now Mrs. Lawson, San Francisco, Cal.
Warren, Cora, Private nurse, New York City.
White, Gertrude, now Mrs. Brown, Washington, D. C.
Watson, Cora, Private nurse, New York City.

1882.

Adams, S. W., now Mrs. F. W. Conrad, Santa Barbara, Cal.
Alford, H. M., now Mrs. Devine, New York City.
Barnard, E. G., Private nurse, New York City.
Boddie, L. W., Private nurse, New York City.
Brennan, Agnes S., Superintendent, Bellevue Training-School, New York City.
Clancy, H. D., now Mrs. Small, New York City.
Conway, A. L., Deceased.
Crosby, S. J. (M.D.), Practising, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Disbrow, Sophie, now Mrs. Goddard, New York City.
Drake, S. C., Private nurse, New York City.
Knapp, Emma, now Mrs. Piper, Omaha, Neb.
Law, C. M., Private nurse, New York City.
Manley, J. C., Private nurse, New York City.
Martin, A. S., Supt., St. Paul House for Trained Nurses, Rome, Italy.
Shaw, K. G., now Mrs. Nixon, At home, Little Britain, N. Y.
Shoemaker, Mrs., Private nurse, New York City.
Slayton, M. S., Private nurse, New York City.
Starr, Lida G., Private nurse, New York City.
Traver, A. A., Private nurse, New York City.
Wright, Mrs. Emily, Private nurse, New York City.

1883.

Bolt, Jennie M., now Mrs. Griffin, Halcottsville, N. Y.
Clark, A. B., Private nurse, New York City.
Dreyer, M. E., Private nurse, New York City.
Field, S., Supt., Training-School, Chicago, Ill.
Hampton, I. A., Supt., Johns Hopkins Training-School.
Hart, Meredeth, Private nurse, New York City.
Harrington, M. E., Private nurse, New York City.
Holtorf, Louise, Deceased.
Horner, Harriet, Private nurse, New York City.
Johnson, M. A., Nurse of private hospital, Washington, D. C.
Judd, M. E., now Mrs. Pardee, Philadelphia.
Kraus, Louise, now Mrs. Dawson, Kansas City.
Lampé, H. E., Private nurse, New York City.
Lewis, Belle, Private nurse, New York City.
MacKenzie, M. E., now Mrs. Garmony, New York City.
Mandeville, Edith, now Mrs. C. P. Murray, California.
Matheson, Joan, Perth, Canada.
Newlin, Helen, Private nurse, New York City.
Peck, Caroline, Private nurse, New York City.
Shaw, Jane, Dublin, Ireland.
Slade, E. B., now Mrs. Leonard, Newport, R. I.
Smith, Ida, Private nurse, New York City.
Stackhouse, Martha, now Mrs. Watson, Falsington, Penn.
Tingley, S. J., Deceased.
Traylen, Dora, Matron, House of Good Shepherd, Syracuse, N. Y.
Vorce, S. J., Private nurse, New York City.
Willcox, F. E., now Mrs. Close, New York City.

1884.

Alton, A. M., Private nurse, New York City.
Arthur, Jennie, now Mrs. Edwin Parsons, Clifton, Ky.
Baker, H. W., Superintendent, Orange Memorial Hospital T.-S.
Baldwin, S. K., Private nurse, New York City.
Becker, E. J., Private nurse, New York City.
Brownlee, Grace, now Mrs. Clarke, St. Louis, Mo.
Bigelow, A. S., Private nurse, New York City.
Clary, M. E., Private nurse, New York City.
Crippen, Marcia, Nurse, St. Paul's House, Rome, Italy.
Crippen, Florence, now Mrs. Crippen, St. Paul, Minn.
Darche, Louise, Superintendent, Charity Hospital Training-School.
Davies, Jennie, Private nurse, New York City.
Downes, Helen, Private nurse, New York City.
Draper, Edith, Assistant Superintendent, Cook Co. Hospital, Chicago, Ill.
Dunlop, Catharine, Private nurse, New York City.
Faye, Ida, Studying medicine, Philadelphia, Pa.

Fessenden, Bessie, Married.
Funk, M. A., Superintendent, Hospital, China.
Gale, Caroline, now Mrs. C. H. Johnson, West Gardner, Mass.
Hawley, S. J., now Mrs. Hawthorne, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
Lee, M. R., Private nurse, New York City.
McVean, Mary, Private nurse, New York City.
Merritt, Isabel, Assistant Superintendent, Brooklyn City Hospital T.-S.
Remsen, Henrietta, Private nurse, New York City.
Robinson, M. E., now Mrs. Douglas, New York City.
Sherman, M. E., At home, White Plains, N. Y.
Sniveley, M. A., Superintendent, Training-School, City Hospital, Toronto.
Stickles, Sarah A., Nurse in St. Paul's House, Rome, Italy.
Wadley, Mary L., Private nurse, New York City.
Wood, Ella C., now Mrs. Williams, Springfield, Mass.

1885.

Cameron, Emma, Private nurse, New York City.
Chapin, Mary E., Private nurse, New York City.
Cox, Teresa A., Private nurse, New York City.
Damar, Annie, At home, East Saginaw, Mich.
Douglas, Mary L., married Mr. Gillespie, South Richfield, N. Y.
Dutcher, H. P., Matron, Sloane Maternity, New York City.
Givens, Rachel, Private nurse, New York City.
Hall, Alice, Private nurse, New York City.
Henly, Maude, Private nurse, New York City.
Holmes, Emma, Private nurse, New York City.
Hopkins, Jennie, Private nurse, New York City.
Kimber, Diana C., Assistant Superintendent, Charity Hospital T.-S., Blackwell's Island, New York City.
McCormick, Anna, now Mrs. Russell, New York City.
McDowell, Frances, Nurse, St. Paul's House, Rome, Italy.
Mills, Laura B., married to Dr. Marlow, Syracuse, N. Y.
Montford, Sarah C., Private nurse, New York City.
Murray, Mary, Matron, Orphanage, Providence, R. I.
Schindell, A. A., Private nurse, New York City.
Speer, A. M., Private nurse, New York City.
Sweet, Anna M., Deceased.
Ward, Kate, Private nurse, New York City.
Webber, Helen R. S., Matron, Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, New York City.
Weir, Wilhelmina, Private nurse, New York City.
Woodworth, Margaret, Assistant Superintendent, City Hospital, Indianapolis, Ind.

1886.

Berry, Jennie L., Private nurse, New York City.
Bowers, Amelia, Private nurse, New York City.
Brady, Mary, Night Supt., Bellevue Training-School, New York City.

Chamberlain, Matron, Children's Hospital, Washington, D.C.
Chandler, Harriet, Private nurse, New York City.
Chapin, Dora F., Private nurse, New York City.
Clarke, Mary A., Private nurse, Philadelphia.
Dall, Alice E., Private nurse, New York City.
Delano, Jennie, Private nurse, New York City.
Dock, Lavinia, Grace Church Mission, New York City.
Downes, Ella, Private nurse, New York City.
Fowler, Emma J., Private nurse, New York City.
Gladding, Mrs. Agnes, Private nurse, New York City.
Greene, Alice H., Private nurse, New York City.
Hutcheson, Florence, Superintendent, Training-School, City Hospital, Indianapolis, Ind.
Jäger, H. F., Private nurse, New York City.
Kimber, Helen G., Head nurse, Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled Children, New York City.
Laflin, Eliza N., Private nurse, New York City.
Lett, K. L., Superintendent, Training-School, St. Luke's Hospital, Chicago, Ill.
Lewis, Clara J., Private nurse, New York City.
Oakley, Lilian M., Private nurse, New York City.
Phelps, Jennie E., At home, Santa Rosa, Cal.
Rhodes, Annie, Head nurse, Bellevue Male Training-School.
Rogers, Mary L., Assistant Superintendent, Bellevue Training-School.
Schönberg, Emeline I., Private nurse, New York City.
Simpson, Sarah R., now Mrs. Jennings, New York City.
Traver, Carrie H., At home, Wichita, Kansas.
Wagner, Frieda E., Private nurse, New York City.

1887.

Armstrong, Evangeline, Private nurse, New York City.
Ball, Kate W., Private nurse, New York City.
Diamond, Kate, Head nurse, Foundling Hospital, N. Y.
Eastwood, C. E., Private nurse, New York City.
Hatch, Mary O., Private nurse, New York City.
Horrigan, Clara, Head nurse, Bellevue Male School.
Johnson, Ella, Missionary nurse, Foochow, China.
Longeway, M. Louise, Private nurse, New York City.
Llewellyn, Agnes, Private nurse, New York City.
McCullom, Sallie J., Private nurse, New York City.
Pelton, Mrs. Lizzie, Private nurse, New York City.
Pope, Georgiana F., Head nurse, Bellevue Male School.
Reed, Rosa G., Private nurse, New York City.
Reyburn, Minnie, Private nurse, New York City.
Scott, Sarah, Private nurse, New York City.
Shearer, H. A., Private nurse, New York City.
Smith, Janie E., Private nurse, New York City.

Talbot, Clara B., Studying medicine, Boston.
Ward, Clara A., Private nurse, New York City.
Warner, Helen M., Studying Pharmacy.
Willard, Mrs. Ada L., Superintendent, Male Training-School, Bellevue Hospital.
Williams, Miss R. D., Private nurse, Asheville, N. C.
Worcester, Mary H., Private nurse, New York City.
Youry, Kate E., Head nurse, Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled Children, New York City.

1888.

Antisdale, Alice, Private nurse, New York City.
Buxton, Fanny E., Superintendent, Training-School, St. Luke's Hospital, South Bethlehem, Pa.
Carroll, Ella L., Hospital nurse, Chicago, Ill.
Carver, Ida, Private nurse, New York City.
Chase, Cora, Private nurse, New York City.
Chichester, Harriet, Private nurse, New York City.
Chichester, Susan S., Private nurse, Buffalo, N. Y.
Dunn, Katharine, At home, Canada.
Fairbanks, Florida, Private nurse, New York City.
Hess, Christine C., Private nurse, New York City.
Moody, Mrs. J. S., Mamaroneck, N. Y.
Moore, Mary G., Private nurse, New York City.
Nevins, Miss Grace.
Penney, Rosa J., Private nurse, New York City.
Perry, Nettie I., Private nurse, New York City.
Russell, Irene, Private nurse, New York City.
Smith, Florence M., Private nurse, New York City.
Stannard, Eva L., Private nurse, New York City.
Thorburn, Emma B.
Valentine, Estelle, Private nurse, New York City.
Voris, Emma J., Private nurse, New York City.
Warburton, Fannie, Private nurse, New York City.
Webster, Lilian O., Private nurse, New York City.
Wright, Maggie P., Superintendent, Training-School, Hom. Hospital, Pittsburgh, Penna.

1889.

Bannister, Lucy A., Private nurse, New York City.
Bristol, Cornelia B., Private nurse, New York City.
Cahoon, Clara B., Private nurse, Brooklyn.
Curran, Sarah F., Private nurse, New York City.
Davidson, Augusta H., Private nurse, New York City.
Dennis, Frances A., Private nurse, New York City.
Duxfield, Margaret A., Private nurse, New York City.

Evans, Mary E., Private nurse, New York City.
Holloway, Alice, At home, Canada.
Howard, Martha, Private nurse, New York City.
James, Martha L., Private nurse, New York City.
Littlefield, Mary T., Matron, Emergency Hospital, New York City.
Loveridge, Emily, Private nurse, New York City.
Lukes, Agnes A., At home, Canada.
Mathews, Mary E., Private nurse, New York City.
McNaul, E. Alice, Private nurse, New York City.
Montrose, Hattie F., Private nurse, New York City.
Moore, Gertrude W., Private nurse, New York City.
Quimby, Lucy R., Private nurse, New York City.
Rasmussen, Christine, Private nurse, New York City.
Remington, Florence, Private nurse, New York City.
Repplier, Caroline H., Private nurse, New York City.
Tirbutt, Catherine Lee, Private nurse, New York City.
Treacy, Kate A., Hospital work, Ireland.
Woolhopter, Margaret H., Private nurse, New York City.
Wright, Jennie M., Private nurse, New York City.
Yoseph, Hannah G., Studying medicine, New York City.

REGULATIONS FOR TRAINING-SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

The Committee of the Training-School for Nurses has made arrangements with the authorities of Bellevue Hospital for giving two years' training to women desirous of becoming professional nurses.

Those wishing to obtain this course of instruction must themselves apply to the Superintendent of the Training-School, 426 East 26th Street, New York, either in person or by letter, upon whose approval they will be received into the School for one month on probation. The preferable age for candidates is from twenty-five to thirty-five years. The applicant should send, with answers to the paper of questions, a letter from a clergyman testifying to her good moral character, and from a physician stating that she is in sound health. Applicants are received at any time during the year when there is a vacancy, except in July and August. During the month of trial, and previous to obtaining a position in the School, the applicant must be prepared for an examination in reading, penmanship, simple arithmetic, and English dictation. The examination is to test the applicant's ability to read aloud well, to write legibly and accurately, to keep simple accounts, and to take notes of lectures. This amount of education is *indispensable* for a member of the School, but applicants are reminded that women of superior education and cultivation, when equally qualified as nurses, will be preferred to those who do not possess these advantages.

The Superintendent has full power to decide as to their fitness for the work, and the propriety of retaining or dismissing them. She can also, with the approval of the committee, discharge them at any time in case of misconduct or inefficiency. During the month of probation the pupils are boarded and lodged at the expense of the School, but receive no other compensation. They are not expected to wear the uniform of the School, but must come provided with dresses of washing material, for use in the Hospital. All clothing must be plainly marked.

Those who prove satisfactory will be accepted as pupil nurses, after signing an agreement to remain two years in the Training-School for Nurses, and to obey the rules of the School and Hospital.

They will reside in the Home, and serve for the first year as assistants in the wards of Bellevue Hospital; the second year they will be expected to perform any duty assigned them by the Superintendent, either to act as nurses in the Hospital, or to be sent to private cases among the rich or poor.

The pay for the first year is $7.00 a month, for the second year $12.00 a month. This sum is allowed for the dress, text-books, and other expenses of

the nurse, in connection with her work, and is in no wise intended as wages, it being considered that the education given is a full equivalent for their services. They are required, after the month of probation, when on duty, to wear the dress prescribed by the Institution ; which is of blue and white seersucker, simply made, white apron and cap, and linen collar.

The day nurses are on duty from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M., with an hour off for dinner and additional time for exercise or rest. They are also often given an afternoon during the week, and have a right to the half of sunday. A vacation of two weeks is allowed each year.

As the Institution is unsectarian, there are no religious services connected with it, except evening prayers, and all nurses are expected to attend the place of worship they prefer once on Sunday.

COURSE OF TRAINING.

The instruction includes :

1. The dressing of blisters, burns, sores, and wounds ; the application of fomentations, poultices, cups, and leeches.
2. The administration of enemas, and use of catheter.
3. The management of appliances for uterine complaints.
4. The best method of friction to the body and extremities.
5. The management of helpless patients ; making beds ; moving, changing, giving bath in bed ; and preventing and dressing bed-sores.
6. Bandaging, making bandages and rollers, lining of splints.
7. The preparing, cooking, and serving of delicacies for the sick.

They will also be given instruction in the best practical methods of supplying fresh air, warming and ventilating sick-rooms in a proper manner ; and are taught to take care of rooms and wards ; to keep all utensils perfectly clean and disinfected ; to make accurate observations and reports to the physicians of the state of the secretions, expectoration, pulse, skin, appetite, temperature of the body, intelligence—as delirium or stupor,—breathing, sleep, condition of wounds, eruptions, formation of matter, effect of diet, or of stimulants, or of medicines ; and to learn the management of convalescents.

The teaching will be given by visiting and resident physicians and surgeons at the bedside of the patients, and by the Superintendent, Assistant-Superintendent, and head nurses. Lectures, recitations, and demonstrations will take place from time to time, and examinations at stated periods.

When the full term of two years is ended, the nurses thus trained can choose their own field of labor, whether in hospitals, in private families, or in district nursing among the poor. On leaving the School they will, after passing the final examination, each receive a diploma signed by the Examining Board and by a Committee of the Board of Managers.

COPY OF QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY CANDIDATE.

1. Name in full and present address of candidate. .....

2. Are you a single woman or widow? .....

3. What has been your occupation? .....

4. Age last birthday, and date and place of birth? .....

5. Height? ..... Weight? .....

6. Where educated? .....

7. Are you strong and healthy, and have you always been so? .....

8. Are your sight and hearing perfect? .....

9. Have you any physical defects? .....

10. Have you any tendency to pulmonary complaints? Or have you had any throat trouble? .....

11. If a widow, have you children? How many? Their ages? How are they provided for? .....

12. Where (if any) was your last situation? How long were you in it? .....

13. The names in full and addresses of two persons to be referred to. State how long each has known you. If previously employed, one of these must be the last employer. .....

has known me years .....

has known me years .....

14. Have you read and do you clearly understand the regulations? .....

I declare the above statement to be correct.

Date .....

Signed .....

Candidate.

COPY OF PAPER SENT TO EMPLOYERS.

THE TRAINING-SCHOOL FOR NURSES, 426 EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET.

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This day the Nurse ....
has been sent on the recommendation of.....
to nurse in case of.....

Superintendent.

REGULATIONS.

The charge for the services of a nurse is $3 a day, or if employed one week or more, $16 per week. Travelling expenses and washing to be paid by the family employing the nurse.

When the nurse's services are no longer required, this sheet of paper is to be returned, sealed up, with a candid statement, on the fly-leaf, of her conduct and efficiency, either from one of the family or the medical attendant, together with information of the amount to be paid, and whether it is enclosed or will be paid at the office of the Society.

The nurse is to be allowed reasonable time for rest in every twenty-four hours; and when her services are needed for several consecutive nights, at least six hours in the day out of the sick-room must be given her.

Except in cases of extreme illness, the nurse must be allowed opportunity to attend church once every Sunday.

When on duty the nurse is always to wear the dress prescribed for her by the regulations of the Society.

Patients and their friends are invited to contribute to the general funds of the Society, and thus assist in enabling it to afford the advantages of gratuitous nursing to the poor, which is one of the objects the Association hopes to accomplish.

Where it is possible, a few days' notice of the nurse's return to the Home should be sent to the Superintendent.

COPY OF PAPER RETURNED BY EMPLOYERS.

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The services of the Nurse.....being no longer required, she is this day set at liberty to return home, and the sum of $.....
being the remuneration for her attendance, is.....

Signed,

.....

Remarks as to conduct, efficiency, etc.

BELLEVUE REGISTRY FOR NURSES.

The Managers of the Training-School have established a registry for their graduates, where medical, surgical, and obstetrical nurses, and those competent to take charge of nervous patients, can be obtained by applying either in person, by letter, or telegram, to the office of the Society, 426 East 26th Street.

The terms of the registered nurses are $20 per week, for contagious cases $25 per week, unless special arrangements are made with the nurse for more or less pay.

A list of these nurses will be found on page 44.

1. The fee is $10 a year, due after January 1st.

2. Nurses are to keep the Superintendent informed of their place of residence, and when they are ready for a call, and also when they have accepted a case, either obtained from the office or from any other source.

Postal cards addressed to the office will be furnished for this purpose.

3. Nurses, while in attendance in the sick-room, are to wear a cap, apron, and dress of washing material, unless the patient or family object, or the circumstances of the case render such a dress inappropriate,

4. Nurses are to report to the office when, from sickness or any other cause, they are obliged to leave a patient who still needs the services of a nurse, so that their place can be supplied as soon as possible.

5. It is the duty of a nurse to take the care of the patient's room, if her time is not fully occupied by the patient; and also to make herself generally useful and acceptable to the family.

6. Before making an engagement a nurse should mention her terms, or if that is not practicable, then, as soon after as convenient, and when an engagement is once made, she should consider herself bound to keep it, and not be induced to break her word in order to please a patient or to secure a more advantageous position.

If any graduate of the School in charge of a case has proved unsatisfactory, the employer is requested to report the fact to the Superintendent.

The regulations for employers are the same as those generally used in registries for nurses.

1. Travelling expenses and washing are to be paid by the employers of the nurses, unless some different arrangement has been made between them.

2. A meal should be provided for a nurse when she is required to be awake all night.

3. When it is necessary for a nurse to care for a very sick person for several nights in succession, she should be allowed not less than six hours' sleep during the days.

4. When taking entire charge of a nervous patient night and day, though a nurse may not lose her sleep, it is better for both patient and nurse that she have some time for exercise in the open air apart from the patient.

It is not expedient to multiply rules, as they are not all of general application, and many details must be regulated by the circumstances of the case. We only ask for the nurses the consideration and kindness due to those who contribute so much to the comfort and well-being of members of the family.

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Dr. GEORGE MONTAGUE, *Treasurer*, IN ACCOUNT WITH TRAINING-SCHOOL FOR NURSES. *Cr.*

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Subscriptions	1,505 00	Salaries of Superintendents and Matron	1,758 99
Donations	1,735 00	Pay of Nurses	7,143 90
Registry Fees	1,100 00	Rent of Rooms outside of Home	355 00
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$2,000 Chicago, St. Louis, and New Orleans R. R. Co's bonds sold for	2,207 50	Provisions and House Expenses	9,479 96
		Servants' Wages	2,032 37
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		Printing, Postage, and Stationery	243 67
		Repairs	418 16
		Incidental Expenses, including $225 for Lectures,	731 54
		Interest on Loans	45 67
		Balance on Hand	56 83
	$23,838 77		$23,838 77

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New York, January 14, 1890.

Respectfully submitted,
G. MONTAGUE, *Treasurer.*

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE SOCIETY.

ARTICLE I.

The Society shall be known by its incorporated name of "THE TRAINING-SCHOOL FOR NURSES." (Incorporated February 5, 1874.)

ARTICLE II.

The object of the Society, as defined by its charter, is "the selection, education, training, and providing of suitable persons as nurses for the sick."

ARTICLE III.

The Society shall report monthly and annually in writing to the "New York County Visiting Committee for Bellevue and Other Public Institutions," a branch of the State Charities Aid Association.

ARTICLE IV.

The Society shall consist of Honorary Members, Benefactors, Patrons, Members, and Associate Members.

ARTICLE V.

The Officers of the Society shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. They shall be elected annually by a two-thirds vote, by ballot, of the Board of Managers, from among its Members. In case of the death or resignation of an Officer, a successor for the remainder of the year may be elected by a two-thirds vote, by ballot, of the Board of Managers, at any Regular or Special Meeting of the Board, two weeks' notice having been given in writing to the Members by the President or Secretary.

ARTICLE VI.

The President shall preside at all Meetings of the Board of Managers, and shall call Special Meetings at discretion, or upon the written request of three Members. The President shall name the Members of Standing and Special Committees, and shall appoint, annually, an Auditing Committee of two gentlemen, Members of the Society, but not Members of the Board of Managers, to examine and report upon the Accounts of the Treasurer.

ARTICLE VII.

The Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of the President.

ARTICLE VIII.

The Secretary shall perform the duties usually appertaining to this office.

ARTICLE IX.

The Treasurer shall receive, invest, and take charge of the funds of the Society, and shall make written Monthly Reports to the Board of Managers, of the condition of the Treasury, and a written Annual Report to the President, at the Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers.

ARTICLE X.

There shall be a Board of Managers, consisting of not less than eleven Members. Five Members of this Board shall be Members of the New York County Visiting Committee for Bellevue and Other Public Institutions. The Board may make its own By-Laws, and fill vacancies in its own body. The Board may, by a two-thirds vote, remove any Member for cause. It shall prepare the Annual Report, and submit it to the Society for approval at the Annual Meeting. It shall hold its Annual Meeting just previous to that of the Society. No Member of the Board of Managers shall receive a salary nor any compensation for services rendered. Five Members of the Board shall constitute a quorum at any meeting.

The absence of any Member of the Board of Managers from Meetings of Committees of which he or she may be a Member, for a consecutive period of three months, without giving notice to the Secretary, may be considered by the President as equivalent to a resignation.

ARTICLE XI.

The Board of Managers shall control the management of the School, shall have power to appoint and remove the Superintendent of the School, and shall determine the salaries of all nurses and subordinates.

ARTICLE XII.

There shall be a Committee upon Nominations, composed of the President and three Managers. The names of persons eligible for Managers of this Institution shall be presented to this Committee, and in the event of vacancy in the Board, this Committee shall report and recommend the party or parties eligible for election. After such nominations by the Committee, one month shall elapse, when the election shall take place by ballot at any Meeting at which two thirds of the Managers are present.

ARTICLE XIII.

The Finance Committee shall, with the Treasurer, manage the finances of the Society.

ARTICLE XIV.

Honorary Members shall be chosen only for important service and valuable aid rendered to the School. They shall be exempted from the payment of all dues. They shall be nominated by the Board of Managers, and elected by the Society at its Annual Meeting.

ARTICLE XV.

Benefactors.—Any person who shall give One Thousand Dollars at one time to this Society shall be entitled to all the privileges of membership, without the payment of annual dues. A Benefactor shall have the right to nominate *two pupils*, who, upon conforming to the rules for admission, shall have preference over all other applicants to the first two vacancies, and be received and trained in the School.

ARTICLE XVI.

Patrons.—Any person who shall give Five Hundred Dollars at one time to this Society shall be entitled to all the privileges of membership, without the payment of annual dues. A Patron shall have the right to nominate *one pupil*, who, upon conforming to the rules for admission, shall have a preference to the first vacancy, and be received and trained in the School.

ARTICLE XVII.

Members and Associate Members must be nominated in writing by a Member or Associate Member of the Society; the name of the proposed Member and the Proposer being sent to the Secretary, to be submitted for approval to the Board of Managers. If elected, and upon payment of annual dues, he or she shall become a Member or Associate Member of the Society. The annual dues of a Member shall be ten dollars, of an Associate Member five dollars, payable immediately after election, and subsequently in January of each year. Members shall be entitled to two votes at all Regular and Special Meetings of the Society, and Associate Members to one vote.

ARTICLE XVIII.

Members and Associate Members may at any time commute all annual dues for life by the payment of one Hundred Dollars, and Fifty Dollars, respectively.

ARTICLE XIX.

The Annual Meeting of the Society shall be held on the second Wednesday of January. The fiscal year of the society shall be the calendar year.

ARTICLE XX.

The By-Laws of the Sub-Committees must be in accordance with and subordinate to the By-Laws of the Board of Managers. The By-Laws of the Board of Managers must be in accordance with and subordinate to these By-Laws of the Society. These By-Laws can be amended by a two-thirds vote of Members of the Society, or by a majority of the Board of Managers, at any Regular or Special Meeting, the text of the proposed amendment having been sent to each Member a fortnight previously by the Secretary.

TRAINING-SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. Reading of the Scriptures.
2. Minutes of last Meeting.
3. Report of the Treasurer.
4. Report of the House Committee.
5. Report upon Lectures.
6. Superintendent's Report.
7. Filling Vacancies in the Board and Committees.
8. Report of Hospital Visitors.

At any Special Meeting of the Board, only the business for which the Meeting has been called shall be transacted.